



I have lived in Genola for 24 years. We moved here so we could raise our family in a rural environment where it was quiet, peaceful and the air was clean. I always notice that in Provo the air looks dirty. We have had over 80 foster children live with us. Most of them come from the Provo area and they want to be big and strong. We always tell them they will get muscles and it will help to breathe this clean air so they can grow better.

I was raised in a gravel pit. I did not oppose the first gravel pit in Genola. But after it started working, I found that the air was dirty. It was hard to get on the roads to leave town and if you got behind a gravel truck you could never pass. In this day and age people are just too impatient and some one will be killed behind a gravel truck. I guess it won't affect you people over there but Genola is a small, close community and it will be as if one of our family is killed.

There has already been one accident involving a farm truck on that road and a teacher at the school. The teacher was so lucky not to have been killed. I understand there was another near accident involving the kindergarten bus. That road is not equipped to handle the added traffic that comes with the gravel pit. It will be even worse with a batch plant and asphalt plant. These are big trucks which can not stop when loaded. Please don't let this operation be placed near the town of Genola on that highway. It is very hazardous and no one wants to breathe the added dust that comes from this operation.

I'm not opposed to gravel pits. As we traveled on the West side of the lake recently there were several pits there. It seemed like the perfect place. The pits were there before the people and the road does not have heavy traffic on it.

Highway 6 is the major road through 3 cities that are growing rapidly. It is way too dangerous to let the use of this highway be for large, loaded trucks that can not stop or go as fast as the speed limit is on the road. Some one will always be trying to pass them and there will be serious accidents. We do not want to lose any of our citizens.

We also chose this place to raise our families with clean, pure air and we don't want that changed either. Please don't take our safety and clean air away by letting this operation come to this area.

Sincerely,

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